

## **Statistical Analysis of Research Data**

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### **AGENDA**

#### **Feb. 2, 2006   Univariate Data Analysis**

- 9:00 a.m.   • Introduction and case overview  
                  • Descriptive Statistics  
                  • Data/probability distributions (with focus on Normal)  
                  • Sampling distributions (mean and variance)
- 10:30 a.m.   Break
- 10:45 a.m.   • Sampling distributions (mean and variance, continued)
- 12:00 noon   Lunch Break
- 1:00 p.m.   • Small vs. large samples  
                  • One-sample inferential statistics: means, variances, confidence intervals
- 3:00 p.m.   Break
- 3:15 p.m.   • Two-sample inferential stats: two-sample t-tests (paired vs.  
                  independent; means and proportions)
- Tutorials:*   *Excel tutorials on descriptive statistics, histograms, two-sample tests of means*
- 5:00 p.m.   Close

#### **Feb. 3, 2006   Bivariate Data Analysis**

- 9:00 a.m.   • Review of univariate analysis  
                  • Bivariate statistics (covariance, correlation, etc.)
- 10:30 a.m.   Break
- 10:45 a.m.   • Simple linear regression
- 12:00 noon   Lunch Break
- 1:00 p.m.   • Multiple linear regression
- 3:00 p.m.   Break
- 3:15 p.m.   • Non-parametric tools: Chi-squared, Wilcoxon, Mann-Whitney goodness  
                  of fit tests (as time permits)
- Tutorials:*   *Regression, Chi-Squared, and ANOVA tests (as time permits)*
- 4:45 p.m.   Close

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